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Editorial.

Altho I'm not a good
riter, an don't want to get in the papers a
duty to myself, as a country an, an
party prevents sitting still any longer.

Just look at the way that spallane, or a
paper the Free Press that used to be
such a noble exponent of our glorious Re-
form principles has degenerated an is now

attacking Mistor Martin than hooom there
is no more noble minded, more benev-
lent, more liberal, more disinterested a
man in kinty simply because he has done

what the Bible enjoins on us to do, made
hay while the sun, that is the Northern
Pacific sun, shines. There is no koorse

another sun shining in Brandon, but I
suppose he has not any thin out of
that. The sun is like the moon shining
from reflected life. I thote more of

Beetn of the Free Press that this. Waz
it not on the Brandon Sun he got his first
lessons anther Mistor Ananias Moses
Petherson, in political annuity, but fur

his feller man an charity for all? And it
be possible that gettin his arley redig-
trains from Mr. Petherson at Sunday
School an all. Now, sun, an

Beetn is doing his work bad it will be
Mistor Petherson's duty to rekall re-
kaletrant put an put him thurs the mill
agin. The job waznt well dun at first

an sine is an it'll have to be dun over
agin even at the expense of sum more
immigration poundlets in the Sun, off-
Tare an come to thin Tories if they ain't

blamin the government too fur, erkin thin
thin reformatory buildins, just the thing
the kinty wants to have to reform the
vices habits of min of the Beetn stamp.

There's governor Siffin, a gentleman, an
his nose the less a gentleman, because he's
expatriated, that always worked in our
noble cause, an felly in the name of
decency shouldnt we do somthin fur him

new. He has spent his life reformin the
habits of min to their politicks, an
there drinkin habits the same as Mistor

Martin, Mistor Greenwood and meself
even in the poker games, notwithstanding
our blossomy noses an felly shouldnt
we have somthin fur our labors, fahats

politicks fur anyway, if it ain't to make
money fur our leaders.

From the howlin of the Free Press
an thin other Tory organs kase. Mistor
Martin got a part of the \$8000 a mile fur
etc., an is now in "the front rank," the
very thing reform was made it look as if

our day was not "long in the land," and
as a consequence we must remember our
fathers and mothers, as the Bible teach-
es. It's to take care of them in their
old age, we ate to make suthin when we

have a chance. But we've got thin Tories
we've got thin as the western world
an we've got the fahats, this way.

We placed our nose firmly between his
teeth, an we got our ears firmly between
his fingers an we held him there till he
wanted to quit. That's the way we've
got thin Tories, now "we've got our nose

firmly between their teeth," an we'll
keep em there an the Dickens think-
ing.

Well sun during the past few days there
was another disturbin element in our
political horizon thin Tories got up a
basket to that papish Langwin man
whom and hosee koorse every man jek
of our party has sworn vengeance. He

said that he will help the Hudson's Bay
that wather pond in which so many of
our party have already been shipwrecked
an in which yet so many of our fan-
tims will be drowned in the next election.

We thote it was a good thing but it ain't
worth a d d cent. By puttin \$8000 into
the bit of role now graded, we could
send thin kinty \$250,000 an I don't
kase an Mistor Martin sez "we've got

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thin that polite Frinchman went in to
ask for the keys. Had he been in he
would have give em up, but its a rook
in natril flossy that one body can't be
in too places at the same time. Mistor

Noxin waz out at the time, an' endnt
be in, an' the fahats. From fahats is so
phone to Mistor Martin that he would
grant an investigation, an' I've added
him not to do kase. That ends it.

From Tories to want annders at the
Reform, but how can they expect
thin koorse for so small a kase to the
kinty. There is only 30 hooomans
tied up in the reformatory, an' out five
off kase, an' that's near too many fur the

accommodashin of visitors. Besides
that, Mistor Siffin can out an an, an
it's a kase of annders to impose
work on him at his age. However,

I agin the Honorable Kildar fur the
ould man's position when he dies, at the
request of Pat Maguire, an' I'm promist
it. When I git it I'll show the kinty
over fur that impudent brat, Johnny

Wastchales, I'll tell him. I'll
take the talk out of thin Tories. An
Sally is now ringin the gong fur supper.
I must bid you an reveyre.

TIM O'FLAHERTY.

MINNEDOSA.

The change from wet to fine weather
has wrought a change in the farmers
prospects. The grain has dried rapidly
and stacking is in progress. A few, ear-
lier than others, have threshed out some,
they report a good yield, barley also
good, but while the yield of wheat is
good the quality is not of a very high
grade. However, there are some dis-
tricts not far from here where the wheat
number one, and a fine yield.

Now that the harvest season is over
what will the boys do is the question.

This is the season for hunting and here
we have the many different kinds of hunt-
ers. The Indian perhaps the surest, the
Canadian who hunts to kill and the Eng-
lishman who hunts purely for sport.

Some of the latter class had a rare day
of sport not long ago. The subject was
a wolf who after keeping away from
hounds and hunters for about twenty
miles took refuge in a civilized habitation.

The lady of the house had no sooner
opened her door to see what caused the
noise disturbance when in glided the
haunted wolf. He took up his position
under a chair, but a hound and the
hounds followed him even there and dis-
patched him.

A quarrel is reported to have taken
place on the street on Monday night be-
tween a rustic youth and one of the town
boys. The rustic youth says the other
fell came out second.

The Masonic Hall will soon be com-
pleted. It is a fine building and the
ground floor will make a splendid busi-
ness stand. We understand that the
drug and bookstore will be removed
there.

The Roy, Mr. McKinley and lady are
boarding in town for a short time, while
the house is being put in order for their
reception. Mr. McKinley is the newly
appointed Presbyterian minister.

Impounding of cattle and horses has
created considerable disturbance here
shortly. One offender we hear intends
trying to regain some of his loss through
the courts.

Some of the teachers of this district
ask of attending the Teachers Associa-
tion to be held at Brandon.

THE KEEWATIN LOST.

CAPTURED IN A SPORT ON LAKE WINNIPEG.

West Solik, Sept. 24. The steamer
Aurora arrived at 10 o'clock this morning,
having on board Master Watts, who was
in charge of the yacht Keewatin. He is in
an almost delirious condition and would
not be interviewed, but your correspond-
ent saw his diary, which gave a full ac-
count of their perilous trip. Accompany-
ing Watts were Corporal Oliver, M.
Murphy, son of a prominent lawyer of
Toronto, and Private Rene, nephew of
Lord Governor Boyd, of Montreal. They
left Pigeon Point on the morning of the
24th inst., with a stiff gale blowing from
the north, and when they reached
Swanby Island in the evening they could
not land. They threw out their anchor
but the chain broke, and they drifted
around until early next morning, when
the boat capsized. Murphy and Rene
got on the side of the boat and Watts
clung to the cabin. Rene, being frantic
with fear, could only hang on four hours
when he slipped off and was seen no more
by his comrades. Murphy tried hard to
hold him up. After this Watts got to
the side of the boat with Murphy where
they both tied themselves and remained
for two days, after which time Murphy
became restless and rolled off saying
"Mathew, I am going and hope you will
be spared to tell the tale." Watts then
strapped himself to the boat and was at
the mercy of the waves for ten days when
he was picked up at Splitrock point by
some Indians a short distance from the
shore almost lifeless, being all this time
without anything to eat. The Indians
took him to their camp and applied what
restoration they had and cared for him
until the steamer Aurora arrived and
took him aboard. Watts is sixty-six
years of age. He will be taken to the
hospital to-morrow.

TROUBLE AT MELILLA.

Mrs. W. H. Brown of Melilla, Man., states
that two of her children and two others, be-
longing to a neighbor, were cured of the worst
kind of summer complaint by one bottle of
Dr. Fowler's Extract of Wild Strawberry
nature's specific for summer complaints.

BRANDON'S SEEN BY OTHER PEOPLE.

Western World of September 13. Brand-
on has made great strides during the
past two years, and this season building
operations are very brisk. The post of-
fice is going to be a handsome and com-
modious structure, several business blocks
are being erected, and a considerable
number of residences are also going up.

A very marked improvement is taking
place in the general appearance of the
city. It has a general air of smartness.
Several of the stores would do credit to a
place ten times its size. Tree planting is
being extensively gone in for, and in a
very short time the town, which is ex-
cellent situated, the site being one of the
best chosen in the west, will be a very
pretty and attractive one. The Experi-
mental Farm, situated just outside the
limits. The town is going in for
waterworks and sewerage, and a hand-
some city hall is to be built at once.

CHANCE FOR BACHELORS.

A NORTHWESTERN MAN TO IMPROVE MARRI-
AGEABLE WOMEN.

Montreal, Sept. 25. A Roman Cath-
olic missionary established near Calgary
is at present contemplating giving effect
to a scheme which has been suggested to
him, and which consists in supplying
wives to a number of young Canadians
established throughout the Northwest
territories. The French press looked
upon the project favorably.

SUICIDE AT MOOSOMIN.

TIERED OF LIFE.

Moosomin, Sept. 25. A young man
named Wm. Fisher, residing upon a
homestead twenty miles north of here,
committed suicide yesterday morning by
shooting himself through the heart with
a rifle. The deceased was married some
months ago. His life since then has
been an unhappy one. He has been
alone on his farm, his wife being with
her parents some miles away. The re-
mains of the unfortunate young man will
be interred here to-day.

AFFECTING THE ARMY.

RECRUITS FRIGHTENED AT THE RECENT
REVELATIONS.

London, Sept. 25. The British war
office is annoyed by the increasing diffi-
culty in procuring recruits for the army.
The recent revelations are causes for dis-
content among the troops, and have had
the effect of frightening away a class of
applicants who would make desirable re-
cruits. The authorities are discussing
the necessity of taking decisive steps to
counteract the trouble.

IN BIG DEMAND.

CANADIAN GRAIN AND STOCK RUSHED OVER
THE BORDER TO AVOID THE HIGH FAIRPR.

Kingston, Sept. 24. The McKinley
bill has created a great demand for ves-
sels to carry grain to the United States
ports. Lambs, sheep and cattle are be-
ing hurried across the lake, and as trans-
port in the United States railways is im-
possible farms at Cape Vincent and other
points have been leased and are being
stocked. Double as much barley as be-
fore this date has been placed in Oswego
warehouses this season.

BEST IN THE WORLD.

Hamilton Spectator: It gives to the
truly loyal and patriotic Canadian food
for gratification, and imbues him with the
conviction that there is a great and glo-
rious future before him and his fellow
countrymen. Every spear of grain gives
evidence that the soil of Manitoba and
the Northwest is one of the best and
richest in the world. There can be no
question but that those who have engin-
eered the exhibit have conferred a great
benefit on their fellow citizens generally,
as well as the means of inducing those
able to cast in their lot with them in the
development of that glorious heritage.

A Dakota farmer who visited the Can-
adian Northwest this summer, writing to a
friend in the country after his return,
says: In Dakota the crops are nearly a
failure. Some papers average the wheat
crop at four bushels per acre, but large
areas will never be cut. My crop is no
good. I will only cut some with the
mower for feed. The people here seem
to be fairly discouraged. They would
leave in a body if they only could. Large
numbers are travelling out with their
teams. Since I came home I have had
large numbers of visitors enquiring about
your country. There will be a good
many leave here for Edmonton next
spring with good stallions and some short-
horn cattle. If the government would
only do some immigration work here now
they would get back a large number of
good Canadian settlers who are tired of
Cicla Sam. High taxation and crop fail-
ures have sickened them. I will do all I
can to boom your country, for I am satis-
fied there is nothing like it in America at
the present time vacant.

VIGILANT CARE.

Vigilance is necessary against unexpected
attacks of summer complaints. No remedy is
so well known or so successful in this class of
diseases as Dr. Fowler's Extract of Wild Strawberry
berry. Keep it in the house as a safe guard.

STROME'S

MAMMOTH

Establishment.

The Dry Goods and Cloth-
ing House of Brandon. Dress
goods and Trimmings to hand.
Our Old Country purchases
have arrived. Magnificent
range of Fine Dress Goods.
Grand value in Tweed effects,
fancy printed flannels, meltons,
fancy wool goods, shawls,
gloves, hosiery, silk ribbons
plain and fancy brocades,
Black and colored velvet rib-
bons, silk handkerchiefs and
ties. A lovely range of ladies
short jackets, coats and man-
tles. Beautiful range of sea-
lette jackets, dolmans and
ulsters. Every lady requiring
anything in the mantle line
should certainly call at
Strome's Mammoth Dry goods
and Clothing House, no doubt
the finest range ever brought
to Brandon. Our assortment
throughout the entire house is
complete and values never
better. We claim not to be
undersold. Goods Right
Prices Right, Quality Right.

STROME'S

Mammoth

ESTABLISHMENT

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THE OLD COUNTRY DELEGATES.

THEY ARE SOBERLY SURPRISED AT WHAT THEY SEE IN THE BRANDON DISTRICT.

As was announced in our last issue the delegation of Old Country farmers brought out by the Canadian Government to see how matters stood in Canada, and especially in the Canadian Western possessions, with a view to encouraging immigration to this country reached the city on Thursday evening, having driven across the country from Carman via Wawanesa, Plum Creek, etc. On the following morning they were driven through the Sandison farm where they saw the steam threshers threshing 40,000 bushels of wheat and 60,000 bushels of oats. They were next driven through the Experimental Farm, where manager Bedford with his previously acknowledged country showed them all the samples he raised, roots, grasses, trees, shrubs, etc., growing and generally all the points of interest about the institution, at which they collectively expressed themselves as more than surprised. This over, a company numbering about 15 persons paraded a cold lunch in the first house style by Mrs. Stripp, and to which ample justice was done by all. This over, the company were shown some of the sights of the city and finally driven through the country south as the Rev. Mr. Roddick's place where they had the pleasure of seeing mixed farming as carried on in these parts. In the evening the company, as below were treated to a dinner, gotten up in Mr. Heubner's best style, which means a great deal, in the Beaver House. The delegation consisted of:

Col. Fane, Limerickshire.
H. Simonds, Berkshire.
Major Stevenson, Londonderry.
E. R. Murphy, Kerry.
Wm. Scottson, Liverpool.
Wm. Edwards, Wales.
W. Pitts, Somerset.
Geo. Brown, Cathness.
T. Spiers, Glasgow.
Geo. Hutchison, Cumberland.
A. Daniels, Norfolk.

Next followed an informal banquet with proceedings as below:

The meeting was opened by Mayor Kelly, calling Mr. J. N. Kirchhoff to the chair.

The Chairman proposed "Her Majesty the Queen" which was drunk by all present, standing and cheering. The Chairman "The members of the Dominion Parliament."

Mr. Hesson, M. P. for North Perth, Ont., in reply, said that he had great pleasure in meeting the delegates of Great Britain and welcoming them to Greater Britain. He would strongly recommend any man to come to this country, who was desirous of commanding a greater degree of success than what could be attained in the Old Country. He contrasted his own experiences, extending over a period of 47 years, and the hardships endured by the early Ontario pioneers, with the condition of this country at the present time.

Mr. W. B. Searth, M. P., Winnipeg, in reply, said that in 1880 he had driven through the country from Winnipeg to Turtle Mountain. Had since then at various periods, driven over the greater part of Manitoba and the Northwest Territories. Having seen so much and travelled so much, and seen the country year after year increasing and progressing, it seemed to him that there was only one lesson to be learned from it, viz., that the progress made to-day was but slight in comparison with the progress that would be made. (Hear, hear.) The delegates would find a very fine climate, themselves, loyal to Canada, but still more so to England, as the stock from which they themselves had sprung.

Mr. T. M. Daly said that he was very proud to be here on the present occasion to welcome to his own town, the delegates from Great Britain, Ireland and France. It was unnecessary for him to speak of the qualities of the soil of Manitoba. That the delegates had seen and could judge for themselves. To come to the towns, he said that the delegates had seen buildings, which he thought, could not be equalled in any country of Manitoba's years. He spoke of the progress of Brandon in particular, in the last 9 years, of which he was well qualified to judge, having resided in the city since 1881. At the request of the chairman, Mr. Wood, a delegate from Liverpool, then gave a song, "Nil Desperandum" which was much appreciated by those present, and Mr. Hesson followed with an old favorite, "Swanee River."

The Chairman then proposed a toast, "The Visitors," which was drunk with three cheers.

Major Stevenson, from Londonderry. Mr. Chairman and gentlemen. Permit me to thank you one and all, for this opportunity of returning thanks on my own behalf and that of the people of Ireland generally, in the unavoidable absence of my friend, Mr. Murphy. I allow me to say, that from the time I landed in Canada, I have received nothing but kindness and courtesy from all with whom I have come in contact. It affords me very great pleasure to assure you that all I have seen has far exceeded my expectations. Wherever I have been, I have seen evidence of the greatest prosperity. The best evidence I can give you of this is the fact that every farmer I have met seems to think that his farm and his district are the best in the country. (Laughter and hear, hear.) Now, gentlemen, when we were starting on our mission, there was some talk of it all being a political thing, got up by the Conservatives to make capital out of at the next election. Now, we do not come amongst you as politicians. We come here to take home a faithful report of what we see, and not to gloss over any difficulties the people of Canada may have to contend with. I am convinced that one half of the report we take home with us will not be believed. When I say I have come into Manitoba and found a city like Winnipeg, with a population of 25,000, which population has sprung up within a very few years, I understand 12 or 13, then when I go on to describe all that I have seen west of Winnipeg, till I come to this

prosperous city, I fear I shall not be believed. Gentlemen, I congratulate you heartily on the progress I have seen. I have heard it said that all that is required in this country is money. I take leave to correct that statement and say that all this is required is men, men of industry and energy, who will make these fertile plains that we have seen, the home of a great nation. (Hear, hear.) Gentlemen, permit me to refer for a moment to the loyalty displayed in this country. Everywhere I have been, I have heard expressions thereof. There are patriots in England who are constantly preaching about a desire on the part of the Canadians for annexation. (No, no.) Now, I beg to contradict that and say that the loyalty of the Canadians, if anything, surpasses that of England herself.

(Hear, hear.) Gentlemen, I must congratulate you on your fine run at. You settle your own affairs. I believe that the prosperity of a country depends on its government, and, as far as I can see and judge, it is the object of the Canadian government that Canada should be free and self-supporting (hear, hear) and not dependent on a country, as we well calculated to supply its own wants, as Canada. (Hear, hear.) Now, gentlemen, so far as this annexation question is concerned, it is the opinion of many of the English people that the McKinley bill will have the effect of producing reciprocity between the two countries, and possibly, eventually, annexation. Permit me to say that, from what I have seen since my arrival in Canada, it is my belief that, do what they will, the Americans can never shake the loyalty of the Dominion of Canada. (Hear, hear.) Gentlemen, I thank you for welcoming me to this country. With regard to what me to England, a report most favorable to everything to Canada in general and Manitoba in particular, and I assure you I shall strongly represent what I have seen and the impressions I have described to you tonight, in Ireland. (Cheers.)

Mr. Spiers, of Glasgow:

Mr. Chairman and gentlemen, I afford me very great pleasure indeed to reply for the people of Scotland. Like my friend the Major, I am not a politician, nor yet an orator, but simply what the bulk of you are, a farmer. There is nothing in this country that has pleased me better than the loyalty that I have seen displayed by one and all, since coming here. One little incident occurred in Toronto, illustrative of this. At the Exhibition, a Yankee exhibitor ran up the stars and stripes on his tent. He was then requested to lower it and refused. A second request met with the same answer. The flag was then pulled down and trampled under foot. I grant, this might have been an extreme measure, but, at all events, it certainly showed the loyalty of the people. Another thing struck us, was the independent spirit in the country. The people seem to feel with our Scottish poet, that, "Rank is but the guinea stamp, a man's a man for a' that." Now that I have been in this country three or four days, I cannot help wondering where all the mouths are to come from to eat all the produce. The crops, as a rule, on a par with the finest in any of the countries here, which is one of the first things that strike a newcomer. I shall not fail to impress upon my fellow countrymen the unlimited amount of land that is open to them here. All that that is required is a limited amount of means and an unlimited amount of energy. (Hear, hear.)

Mr. Pitts, of Somerset:

Mr. Chairman and gentlemen, I beg to assure you, in the first place, that I am no speaker and I am not a politician and I hope you will let me off with a few words. I must thank you heartily for the very warm reception you have given us in this country. With regard to what we have seen, I think I may first say that the extraordinary point is that it seems to me that this country is exactly like the Old Country, with this exception, that in this country, a poor man is as much at home as a rich one. (Hear, hear.) There is a very great future before this country. I have never been over here before and have come over with a distinct desire to see this country, and now feel sure, that, with an experience of business of 15 years, I shall be better qualified to give a true and full report of what I have seen. Allow me once more, not only for myself, but all my co-delegates, to thank you for your warm reception.

Mr. Wm. Edward, of Wales:

Mr. Chairman and gentlemen, I am very glad to hear from your chairman that there is such an invitation and such a reception in store for us next time. (Laughter.) I can assure you we are perfectly willing to come whenever you ask us, but I cannot say whether we shall be willing to return home. It is no use repeating what my co-delegates have said. The only thing that I can say to my countrymen is that those who come had better stay, and I think I can say that they will prove excellent settlers. (Hear, hear.) They cannot bring much money, but they are good settlers. I have heard one gentleman say that if any gentleman coming over here were to throw all his money overboard he would do well. (Laughter.) I have also heard it said that in a very few years you will have to import grain into the country, as the population will grow faster than the corn. (Renewed laughter.) However, I think you will have enough grain for many generations to come. I think you for your welcome and hope this will not be my last visit to Brandon. (Hear, hear.)

Mr. Wood, of Liverpool:

Mr. Chairman and gentlemen, It is very difficult indeed for me to follow a man of eloquence like my friend Major Stevenson, and the two practical farmers who followed him. I may say that on my landing at Quebec and on my journey through the province, I was not so much impressed as I had expected with the good farming of the Dominion of Canada. However, the reception we had from Hon. Mr. Carling put matters straight. On our visit to the Experimental Farm impressed me more than anything I had seen. The capacity of Professor Saunders and his able assistants showed me more than any living else the care that had been taken in choosing the officers of this institution, to which the farmers of Canada already owe so much. (Hear, hear.) Here, in Manitoba, we see a huge wheat growing district, of a capacity really un-

bounded, but one cannot help reflecting that a time must come when wheat-growing will not be as profitable as it is now. I look forward to a time when much of the land round Brandon will be laid down in grass, to be the pasture of numerous cattle, and successful cow and dairy farms. I do not think the farmers are presently able to learn how to lay down grasses. That knowledge you will get from the Minister and Professor Saunders. What I saw in Ontario, I have seen on a smaller but still thoroughly practical scale on the experimental farm here, under the able management of Mr. Bedford. Gentlemen, when I reached Glenboro, I came to the conclusion that I had seen most magnificent land, but the land I saw yesterday seemed to me still finer, that I have seen to-day seems to be the finest. It is scarcely possible that there can be finer land than that which we have seen on the north side of this city. The land on the south is light and a more hungry soil, but still a very good land. The loyalty of the Canadians generally has been touched upon by previous speakers, and I can say no more than they have done. Gentlemen, when I got under the same name as what I have seen, I do not think my people will believe me. (Laughter.) I shall go through the country and lecture, and put everyone in a position to understand what Canada is. You must know that in England many very erroneous ideas of Canada are current, and it is for the benefit of perpetual life and soul, where the people wear furs and go on snowshoes all year round. (Laughter.) I should like to have a taste of your Canadian winter, were it possible for me to stay, but I cannot be at present. Gentlemen, I beg to thank you heartily, individually and collectively, for the reception I have received.

Mr. Scottson, of Liverpool:

Mr. Chairman and gentlemen, I do not want to go over old ground; at the same time, I must say that the cordial reception we have received has pleased me very much indeed. As a farmer myself, I have taken great notice of the grand farming capacity of this country. After leaving Winnipeg, there was a new feature of the country before us. We came to a great space of the country which is capable of growing anything and everything. (Hear, hear.) As Mr. Wood has said, there is much misconception in England as to the climate of Canada. I am convinced from all I have seen that it is as safe for an Englishman or an Englishwoman as it is for the native born Canadian. I am certain that if you do not get the people and keep them, it is not the fault of the country, but of the people. (Laughter.) Now, Mr. Chairman, I must thank you most cordially for your kindness and I shall tell off to all the people I know. I came here to give a full and true report of the agricultural resources of the country. I have seen a little bit and am much impressed by the greatness of the country. I beg to thank you once more for your kind reception.

Mr. Daniels, of Norfolk:

Mr. Chairman and gentlemen, I am sure I am much obliged for your kindness. If I say anything at all, I must go over the ground which my brother representatives have gone over. I represent a thoroughly agricultural county. When I went to see Sir Charles Tupper, I asked him one question, "Should I have to give a highly colored report?" He said, "No, you are free to say what you like." Then I said, "I will say, but I feel it a great responsibility to advise English people to come out here, to a new and strange country, which they may not like. I was not greatly impressed till I came to Manitoba, but since I have come, I have found a country of illimitable extent and capacity. My people think the Canadian winters here are too severe. I must leave them to judge of that for themselves. I am certain that you cannot go on farming all the time. Now, my countrymen, get all stock farmers, I do not think I shall be able to send you many, at least, not many with money."

Mr. Geo. Hutchison, of Cumberland:

Mr. Chairman and gentlemen, I am unaccustomed to public speaking, but on so large a subject as Manitoba, one should have much to say. I have a slight advantage over some of my co-delegates, as I had the pleasure of visiting Canada 11 years ago. I am amazed at the progress you have made in that time. If I remember right, none of the land around here was taken up at all. We had a sandy barry set out to talk to, and the city of Brandon was not in existence. Now, I think, when one considers all this, it is evident that this is a country with something in it. (Hear, hear.) In Winnipeg, I must confess I was slightly disappointed. Now, 11 years ago, we were told great stories of Winnipeg, and from what I remember to see, it is a place of some importance then, and I do not think it has increased as fast as the country round about it. The change in the country since then is very great. The number of the cattle is one striking point. Cattle were hardly dreamed of then as a factor in the agricultural progress of the country. It was not thought that they could slant the winners. Now, the cattle here are better than they are in the old provinces. A Lyo cattle have come from the old provinces; you get the best, of course, and the consequence is you now have the best cattle. At the present rate of increase, you should in five years have a large number to export. Now, I do not say for the very kind manner, in which we have been received. We will give all the information in our power to those at home, and will give it in a straightforward and honest manner. (Hear, hear.)

The Mayor and Aldermen Humber, Mr. George and Wm. were replied to a toast. Mr. M. Daly, M. P., then proposed, "The Agricultural Community," coupled with the names of Mr. Saunders, Mr. Jno. F. Smith and Mr. Merritt.

Mr. Smith replied. He expressed himself strongly in favor of manuring the land in this country, referring to his own land which he had manured for some years with such success that his example was beginning to be followed by most of his neighbors. He deprecated the amount of straw that was yearly allowed to be wasted or burnt.

Mr. Sandison, in reply to the toast, said that his experience in manure had not been the same as his friend's, Mr. Smith. He found the straw would not

rot. He turned over stable and at the expiration of six months found it in the same condition as when he turned it down. He came to present residence in 1887, with no money, and felt that at the close of the present year all his efforts worth \$38,000 would be his own. He attributed much of his success to the employment of none but the best of practical farmers. Mr. Merritt also replied in a few remarks.

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" Brandon Hills, Honthwaite, Wawanesa, Melford and Two Rivers, on Monday and Thursday, at 10.30 a.m.
" Souris, Rosebud and Beresford, Monday, Wednesday and Friday arrive at the office at 10.30 a.m.
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THE BURCHELL TRIAL.

WOODSTOCK, Sept. 23.—The Burchell trial was continued this morning at 10 o'clock. It has been reported that the prisoner has been handcuffed on his way to and from the courtroom, but this is not the case. He is the quietest and most easy-going prisoner the gaoler has had to do with and neither complains or gives trouble in any way. There was a great crowd in the town hall entrance to see him pass and his appearance was warmly criticized by many. Burchell has raised up in this community two clearly defined parties, one favorable and the other against. The latter appear numerous and they are having their own way pretty well during the presentation of the case for the prosecution, but his friends are stalwart and quite convinced, either that he is innocent or that it will be impossible to prove him guilty. There is a great crowd in the court room, including 100 ladies. The prisoner's wife and sister-in-law were not present. Mrs. Burchell being too nervous and ill to stand the strain.

DR. TAYLOR,

who was called in to see Benwell's body, when found in the swamp, was the first witness who testified. The clothing was frozen to the ground. In view of the attempt which the defense is expected to make and drive that the body did not lie in the swamp during the storm of February 17, the day when Benwell was killed. Witness was minutely examined as to his condition. He believed when found the body had lain less than seven days in the swamp, possibly four days. He demonstrated on the head of a juryman the position of the pistol and powder wounds noticed on the corpse. Examining the pistol hole in Benwell's overcoat collar he believed this would correspond if the collar was turned up. Regarding the wound and the inguinal, he believed that either of the two pistol wounds was sufficient to produce death. The condition of the heart led him to believe that action was stopped in the middle of a beat. The other organs of the body were in a healthy condition. There was nothing to cause death but the wounds in the heart. These it was utterly impossible for the deceased to have produced himself.

MR. BLACKSTOCK

called from the witness that he had been reading up since the event on medical conditions with reference to corpses, and that the witness's statements were much fuller than any he had given before. Mr. Blackstock accused him of want of fairness and said he hoped he would remember he was called on the purpose of giving evidence to crown for the prisoner's conviction, and would show fairness in keeping with the quasi-judicial position he occupied. Mr. Blackstock showed that only by the coat being exactly straightened and the victim with his face forward could the wound effect be as he had stated. The doctor's conclusion that the body was under Mr. Blackstock's searching cross-examination that under ordinary circumstances decomposition would begin in three days and yet there was no decomposition. This, however, the doctor insisted upon attributing to frost. It was undoubtedly true that deceased had not had anything to eat for considerable time previous to his death.

DR. MELFORD,

of Woodstock, testified next. There were two or three important points in the cross-examination. One was that while rigor mortis set in a few hours after death, being complete in four hours, it passed away again in six or eight hours. Another was that the shirt, which was clean and stiff, was a good deal more limp when the body was thawed out than before, but it was still looking as if it was a long time since it had been laid. This did not indicate his having been out in a rain storm all night. Another was that the doctor's decided opinion as to the time he saw the body, was not that it had fallen in the position in which it was found, frozen stiff, but that it had been thrown or placed in that position. Mr. Blackstock brought out that there was a mark on the left leg of the undergarments, on the calf of the leg, as if the leg had struck against a charred stump and a slight discoloration of the skin about corresponding to the locality of this does not seem to be noted by the doctors at the time of the inquest. Witness also testified that there was a stump on the way from the entrance to the swamp, where the body was found, but he would not say whether it was charred or not. A great deal has been made of the fact that the leg of the pants was pulled up and the sock down, as if the murderer had tried to displace them in order to cut the initials out of the socks, but the marks on the drawers would be compatible with the theory of the defense that the body was carried to the spot where it was found. The evidence as to the red mortar was still being continued when the court rose for recess.

WOODSTOCK, Sept. 24.—The great square in front of the court house was densely crowded this evening for an hour before the court adjourned. When Burchell appeared at the door on the way to the jail he looked out upon a sea of faces. People were in carriages, on horseback and on foot, waiting for a glimpse at him. He looked on the crowd unconcernedly, and a half smile brightened his handsome face. Yet he had been listening to evidence he must have known placed him in a terrible position. There was a large number of witnesses sworn during the afternoon. John A. Orchard, of Niagara Falls South, where Burchell is said to have had a farm, testified that he had never known of a man named Burchell owning a farm near Niagara Falls, nor a man named Somerset. Henry Thomson, assessor of the township of Stamford, near Niagara Falls, had never known across a party by the name of Somerset or Burchell. John H. Baldwin who kept a boarding house at Niagara Falls where the prisoner boarded, produced for comparison of writing, several letters he had received from Burchell. Professor Wadsworth, who has charge of the work in the Meteorological Observatory in Woodstock, testified to the condition of the weather during the week of the murder. His records showed the temperature to be above freezing on the morning of Feb. 17th, the supposed day of the murder, slightly below freezing that

night at seven; rain and sleet during the night; snow and drifting on Thursday night between freezing on Friday when the body was found. All this corroborated the theory of the crown made from the condition of the body that it laid in the woods from Monday till Friday.

Pelley, Burchell's companion on the Atlantic voyage, was recalled and recognized as Burchell's several letters which were put in relation to the negotiations with the prisoner to induce him to come to Canada. Mr. Osler offered to call Charles Benwell to prove that the murdered man's clothes were marked in the places where pieces had been cut out. Mr. Blackstock, however, objected, and argued the part with success so that the judge decreed that the evidence should not be taken. Gregg, the Princeton sexton, was recalled, at the instance of the defense, and was questioned by Mr. Baxter regarding the attempt to steal Benwell's body. He stated that on the Wednesday night following the discovery of the body, he heard a big drive up and turn towards the cemetery gate, clattering over a small wooden bridge which he himself had built across the ditch. It was a most unusual thing for a visit to the cemetery to be made at such a time and he raised the window to look out. The person in the rig put the whip to the horse and drove rapidly away. He was unable to identify them or to give any clue.

J. H. Hull, a lumberman living at Princeton, gave important testimony as to Burchell's visit to Princeton to identify the body. Burchell drove in from Paris and spoke to Hull in the hotel with others present, and in answer to a question as to Benwell's habits and likelihoood he stated that he was engaged in a light, Burchell stated that Benwell liked a game of cards and like most Englishmen with money, would let on his game, also that Benwell was a man likely to visit a house of ill-repute. He stated that he and Benwell had parted at Niagara Falls, Benwell had gone west, but later he had received a letter from Benwell stating that he would stop off at Woodstock and perhaps Paris on his way east to look for a farm, as he intended to engage in agriculture. Burchell drove up to the cemetery with the constable, who had been notified of his arrival, and was just coming out of the cemetery gate when the witness, who walked, came up, and was seen subsequently in the hotel. Burchell stated the body he had seen was undoubtedly that of Benwell. Witness asked him if when he wrote from London, Benwell had used paper containing the name of any one, which he could be traced. Burchell explained that Benwell did not exactly write, but that he only sent on the keys of his baggage from London.

Fred J. Pierce, teller in the bank at Niagara Falls, saw Burchell come into the bank on the 24th of February. He said he was an agent of the British Government, buying horses in Canada. He said he saw Benwell in the bank, in the United States, had thought he might, as he had some money there. He deposited \$152, including 11 English sovereigns. This point the Crown makes it in with the statement of Pelley, that Benwell, the murdered man had a handful of sovereigns with him. Captain Cos of Paris, swore that Benwell gave him the same explanation as to Benwell's disappearance which he gave to Hull, Watson and Schwartz. He told Detective Murray the same story, showing that he had planned to tell the same story to several people, thus making corroborations to protect himself. He stated that Burchell, if he suspected any other means by which he answered "No." George Phenister, manager of the Niagara Falls, Ont., telegraph office, identified the telegram sent by Burchell and gave the substance of an interview with him after the identification of the body. Burchell told Phenister that Benwell had \$50 to \$100; that he had seen him last on the Grand Trunk platform at the Falls, and that Benwell went to London; whence he sent a letter containing a paper and checks for baggage.

George Hersee, a farmer near the scene of the murder, identified the prisoner as the man who introduced himself to the witness in 1888 as a son of Lord Somerset. He drove a two-horse carriage, and the next day he arrived with a four in hand. Somerset then told Hersee he had been in the vicinity before. He asked about Mud Lake (beside which Benwell's body was found); said he knew the place and had been gunning there some four years before. Joe Pigott, a farmer living near Hersee's place was asked "Did you know a man named Lord Somerset?" "That's him over there," he replied, pointing to the prisoner. James Ellis, a neighboring farmer, said: "I recognize the prisoner as Lord Somerset, to the best of my ability. I acknowledge that I know him. I met him with another Englishman eight rods from Mud Lake in 1888." "He was not in the country at that time," was the defendant's counsel. Blackstock's strange comment. Manager Burnett, of the G. N. W. T. telegraph company at Buffalo, identified a telegram Burchell sent to himself. Postmaster Woodruff, of Niagara Falls, swore that Burchell rented a postoffice box in February for six months, ending August 10.

Chief Young of the Niagara Police, testified to the arrest of Burchell. The man was in bed when arrested, asking no explanation and making no complaint. He acted as if he knew for what he was arrested. Young identified Benwell's keys and the articles found on Burchell when arrested. Connor O'Day, writing expert of the British American College, Toronto, identified Burchell's handwriting in many documents in the evidence. Among them were the famous Mellersh letters on pupil farming and the agreement between Pelley and Burchell to go into a farming partnership as follows: "Memorandum of an agreement made the 14th day of January, 1890, between D. R. Pelley, of Walden Place, Saffron, Walden, on the one part, and J. R. Burchell, of Niagara Falls, on the other part, to the effect that said D. R. Pelley agrees to reside with said J. R. Burchell and to assist him to the best of his ability in the discharge of said J. R. Burchell's business, for the space of one year to date from the date of the agreement." Also, "D. R. Pelley agrees to

pay the sum of \$170 to be invested by J. R. Burchell in his business; such sum to be returned together with interest at the rate of 5 per centum per annum. In event of said D. R. Pelley not electing to stay longer than one year, consideration being said D. R. Pelley being board and lodging, household necessities, and extra use of horses, carriages, travel, and 22 1/2 per cent. of payment in the business of said J. R. Burchell, arising from all or any sales whenever held. (Signed) D. R. PELLEY." The document is dated January 14, 1890.

Fully half the spectators during the afternoon were ladies. Not an inkling of the defense was gathered from the cross-examination. Blackstock's strange remark that Burchell was not in this country in 1888 opens the speculation that perhaps an alibi may be aimed at. When the court rose at 6 o'clock there was a good crowd to see Burchell come out. He passed through a double line of people staring at him, but he did not seem uncomfortable. He was driven to his lodging place in jail for the night.

TORONTO, Sept. 24.—A dispatch from Buffalo says Michael Rodell, night clerk at the Stafford House, where the Burchell party was there and who could have testified to calling the party the morning of the day they were there, died on Monday.

WOODSTOCK, Sept. 26.—The evidence in the great Burchell trial was not so sensational yesterday afternoon. A number of witnesses positively identified the prisoner as the man they had seen in the vicinity of the scene of the murder on February 17. The crowd in attendance today was very large.

JAS. DUFFIELD,

news agent on the Grand Trunk train from Niagara Falls to London and return, swore that on February 17 he saw the prisoner on the train as it was nearing Princeton, where he just noticed the prisoner. He said that Mark Twain's "Trump Abroad," also some cigars and oranges. Between Princeton and Windsor he got off at Hamilton and bought a ticket for Niagara Falls. He sat down with the prisoner for about half an hour and talked with him. He asked the witness about business on the road, and said his name was Smith and that he was on his way to Buffalo where he was to meet his brother. He offered witness a cigar which he took. He also took a flask and offered witness something out of it, but witness told him he did not use it. Witness noticed the prisoner's boots were very muddy and that his trousers were rolled up.

GEO. HAY,

another witness, said he was a brakeman on that train. Witness didn't notice whether he had any baggage or parcels with him. In cross-examination witness stated that he commenced running on the train November, 1889, that his route would call for about 1,300 miles in a week as his business was to go through the train and sell his goods, and he saw many thousands of people in the course of a year. He had never been mistaken for anybody else in his life, and when asked if he had ever been mistaken in identity of another he did not answer.

GEO. CRUMB,

a G. T. R. clerk, identified the stubs of the two tickets to Eastwood sold at Niagara Falls between 3 and 6 p.m. on the 17th of February last. They were the only tickets sold for that part of Eastwood for two weeks before and the two weeks afterward.

CASE FOR THE CROWN CONCLUDED.

Mr. Osler, for the crown, announced that this was all the evidence. At the instance of Mr. Blackstock, young MacDonald, who heard the shots in the swamp on February 17th, was recalled severely questioned by Mr. Blackstock,

as to the statements made by him. He would not deny that he had said that Fridenburg, who corroborated his evidence was not with him, that there were four or five minutes between the shots, or that it was between 2 and 2:30 p.m., that they heard the shots, but if he had said these things they were true.

The court adjourned until 2 p.m., when the evidence for the defence will be entered upon. The old man Robb, who lives behind the swamp, will be an important witness for the defence, and that Murry, the detective who worked up the case, will be closely cross-examined by Mr. Blackstock, as to his methods since Burchell was first accused.

ALFRED HAYWARD,

an old miller living at Eastwood said he saw on February 17th, two men passing by his home between 11 and 12 as though coming from the train along the road from the south to the north. The prisoner was one of them and he was a little ahead of his companion. He wore a short coat. The man behind, he thought, was an Englishman by his caped coat. This young man picked up a little snow as he was passing and threw it at a cat on the side of the road.

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A small newspaper paragraph in these columns a little over three months ago announced the sudden disappearance of a person named Harry Windybank, from Carberry, of which lively town he was a prominent and popular resident. It was stated that he was a "Windy" and that he was a considerable astoundment expressed, as he was supposed to be, by appearing and doing a fairly good job. On his return from Carberry last Friday night was met by two men who threatened his life, taking the horses at the same time. He got out of the wagon and knocked one of them down, but finding the two men too much for him to handle, he fled in getting away from them. He was before receiving several heavy blows on the body. He says they were "Windy" and he would recognize them if he should meet them again. There is no question but robbery was their object.

Manuelos were shocked this morning when it became generally known that Mrs. Wm. Hillard, wife of the Dominion Agent, had died suddenly during the night. She was in her usual health until early yesterday morning, when she was taken with an apoplectic fit. She had several during the day, but nothing serious was anticipated, as she had had what seemed worse ones before. A little after 12 o'clock this morning she became comatose and passed away. Mrs. Hillard was the sympathy of all in his bereavement. *Manuelos Tribune.*

A man giving the name of Frank Garfield was arrested here on the 17th inst., and charged by Sgt. Fyfe and Constable Mills with carrying and carrying a loaded revolver. He was tried before Inspector Constantine (Mayor Smith sitting as associate justice), convicted of both crimes and sentenced to five months' imprisonment with hard labor at Regina. There is no doubt that in the course of a few days this man will be charged with committing the recent burglaries at Mossburn and Elkhorn, the police having, in arrest, obtained sufficient evidence to warrant the charge. Garrity's accomplices or accomplices are still at large. *Mossburn Courier.*

A dispatch received a few days ago from Clinton, Iowa, reads: "A stranger in Grand Mount yesterday asked where the residence of Mr. Langdon, contractor of the C. & N. was. He was directed to the house, and at the door asked for Mrs. Langdon, whom he shot and killed as she came toward him. Langdon immediately shot the stranger, inflicting fatal wounds. Further particulars have not been obtained so far, as Mr. Langdon says he does not know who the man is. The Langdons came recently from St. Paul to take charge of laying a double track for the Northwestern road." The Langdon referred to was well known in Winnipeg some years ago. He once had a contract on the C. P. R. with Mr. Shephard.

Mr. J. B. Fawcett, of Lake Dauphin, was in town Monday. He was formerly a resident of Okesby, North Dakota. He thinks the Dauphin district much superior to the country he left for farm and is surprised at the quantity and excellence of the crops; is pleased with the climate and has had his health much improved; has gained forty pounds in weight since February. He came in about a year ago, but did not take up land at once, waiting to see how he liked it. About six months ago he commenced to improve a quarter section, for which he made entry this week. He says roads are laid at present, and thinks a railway very much needed, for which the people are anxiously watching. He thinks a little expenditure would make the Cameron road the best to the settlement. He is now teaching school and has over 30 pupils.

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Once upon a time a certain man got into the editor and stopped his paper. The next week he sold his corn at four cents below the market price. Then the property was sold for taxes because he did not read the sheriff's sale. He was arrested and fined eight dollars for hunting on Sunday, and he paid three dollars for a pair of forged notes that had been altered for two weeks, and the public refused not to negotiate them. He then sold a big Irishman, with a foot like a hammer, to kick him all the way to the newspaper office, where he paid for his subscription in advance, and the editor sign an agreement to knock him down and rob him if he ever ordered his paper stopped again.

Pasadena, Sept. 26.—Capt. Trimble, of the seventy United States cavalry, commanding at Fort Still passed through Pasadena yesterday. He says the Indian uprising of recent years is all certainly a mistake. The Indians, he says, have got the idea that a good Indian man is coming to wipe out the whites and restore to them the ownership of the country. The result is that they have entered with the fervor of fanatics a series of incursions and depredations. The 5,000 Indians about Fort Still have renounced Christianity and it is certain that in a short time a mob will be formed to be the enemy of the white man, and then the trouble will begin. He thinks that all the U. S. soldiers should be dashed.

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